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1 Introduction

Every report starts with an introduction. In this section the reader is introduced to why an what is being discussed in this report. Furthermore, this section should also include a brief overview of the outline of the report.

1.1 Objectives

The aims and objectives of the report should be explained in detail, without presenting any solutions. For instance, the objectives for writing report are:¹

- to find out what you have learned from your reading, research or experience;
- to give you experience of an important skill that is widely used in the work place

It is useful to provide a list of technical or new terms with a brief, clear description of each term. You can also include in this section explanations of the acronyms, abbreviations or standard units used in your report.

2 Experimental Data

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1  import numpy as np
2
3  def incmatrix(genl1,genl2):
4      m = len(genl1)
5      n = len(genl2)
6      M = None #to become the incidence matrix
7      VT = np.zeros((n*m,1), int) #dummy variable
8
9      #compute the bitwise xor matrix
10     M1 = bitxormatrix(genl1)
11     M2 = np.triu(bitxormatrix(genl2),1)
12
13     for i in range(m-1):
14         for j in range(i+1, m):
15             [r,c] = np.where(M2 == M1[i,j])
16             for k in range(len(r)):
17                 VT[(i)*n + r[k]] = 1;
18                 VT[(i)*n + c[k]] = 1;
19                 VT[(j)*n + r[k]] = 1;
20                 VT[(j)*n + c[k]] = 1;
21
22             if M is None:
23                 M = np.copy(VT)
24             else:
25                 M = np.concatenate((M, VT), 1)
26
27             VT = np.zeros((n*m,1), int)
28
29     return M

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Listing 1: Example Python code

¹Referenced from: <http://www2.le.ac.uk/offices/ld/resources/writing/writing-resources/reports> (27/05/2017)

Mass of empty crucible	7.28 g
Mass of crucible and magnesium before heating	8.59 g
Mass of crucible and magnesium oxide after heating	9.46 g
Balance used	#4
Magnesium from sample bottle	#1

3 Sample Calculation

Mass of magnesium metal	= 8.59 g - 7.28 g
	= 1.31 g
Mass of magnesium oxide	= 9.46 g - 7.28 g
	= 2.18 g
Mass of oxygen	= 2.18 g - 1.31 g
	= 0.87 g

Because of this reaction, the required ratio is the atomic weight of magnesium: 16.00 g of oxygen as experimental mass of Mg: experimental mass of oxygen or $\frac{x}{1.31} = \frac{16}{0.87}$.

4 Results and Conclusions

Resultaten altijd eens valideren.

The atomic weight of magnesium is concluded to be 24 g mol^{-1} , as determined by the stoichiometry of its chemical combination with oxygen. This result is in agreement with the accepted value.



Figure 1: Figure caption.

5 Discussion of Experimental Uncertainty

The accepted value (periodic table) is 24.3 g mol^{-1} ?. The percentage discrepancy between the accepted value and the result obtained here is 1.3%. Because only a single measurement was made, it is not possible to calculate an estimated standard deviation.

The most obvious source of experimental uncertainty is the limited precision of the balance. Other potential sources of experimental uncertainty are: the reaction might not be complete; if not enough time was allowed for total oxidation, less than complete oxidation of the magnesium might have, in part, reacted with nitrogen in the air (incorrect reaction); the magnesium oxide might have absorbed water from the air, and thus weigh “too much.” Because the result obtained is close to the accepted value it is possible that some of these experimental uncertainties have fortuitously cancelled one another.

6 Answers to Definitions

- a. The *atomic weight of an element* is the relative weight of one of its atoms compared to C-12 with a weight of 12.0000000..., hydrogen with a weight of 1.008, to oxygen with a weight of 16.00. Atomic weight is also the average weight of all the atoms of that element as they occur in nature.
- b. The *units of atomic weight* are two-fold, with an identical numerical value. They are g/mole of atoms (or just g/mol) or amu/atom.
- c. *Percentage discrepancy* between an accepted (literature) value and an experimental value is

$$\frac{\text{experimental result} - \text{accepted result}}{\text{accepted result}}$$

7 Conclusion

The conclusion enables you to reinforce the main messages of the document. A conclusion summarizes the report as a whole, drawing inferences from the entire process about what has been found, or decided, and the impact of those findings or decisions.

Even in a short report, it is useful to include a conclusion. A conclusion demonstrates good organization. When written well, it can help make the reader’s task easier. With a good conclusion, you can pull all the threads of the report details together and relate them to the initial purpose for writing the report. In other words, the conclusion should confirm for the reader that the report’s purpose has been achieved.²

²Referenced from: <http://colelearning.net/who/module3/page40.html> (27/05/2017)